

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:           KESTERSON, et al.  
Serial No.:                   09/764,625  
Filing Date:                January 17, 2001  
Group Art Unit:            2644  
Examiner:                  Ramnandan P. Singh  
Title:                      **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DISTRIBUTING  
NETWORK COMMUNICATION SIGNALS**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed April 20, 2006 (the "Office Action"), Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following Amendments thereto, and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.